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HYDROCARBON
CONTAINING FORMATION
USING HEAT SOURCES
POSITIONED WITHIN OPEN
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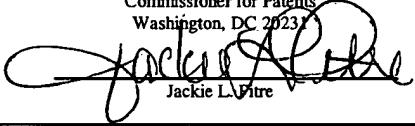
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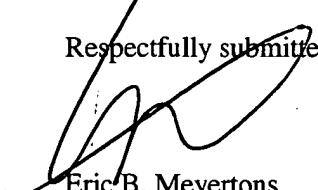
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